



Sample Student Activities for Levels 1-4 of English Proficiency

Level 1 Activities:

(point, touch, draw, match)

- a) Draw sequential pictures
- b) Match words to pictures
- c) Illustrate key vocabulary
- d) Make a personal, bilingual dictionary of vocabulary
- e) Assign concrete projects (maps, building a model, experiments,...)
- f) Use puzzles and games
- g) Use charts, graph, maps, and pictures

Level 2 Activities:

(what is this?, where is...?)

- a) Retell an experience or lesson to a peer, teacher or tape recorder
- b) Dictate a story
- c) Match words with examples
- d) Classify words or objects
- e) Describe Pictures
- f) Tell someone else how to do an activity

Level 3 Activities:

(describe, tell me about, what happens when...?)

- a) Use a dictionary to find guide words, definitions, pronunciation or sentences with words in context
- b) Use worksheets from class. Work one-on-one to explain concepts, language and format. Provide concrete examples.
- c) Have student summarize a lecture or discussion while another student or aide writes it down
- d) Outline a lesson, story, or lecture

Level 4 Activities:

(why?, what would happen if...?)

- a) Use resources (library, internet, guest speakers) to write a report
- b) Fill in the blank using vocabulary
- c) Match words with definitions